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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL 1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

TECHROLOGY CERTER 2800 The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. 3, Ine proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 3/C.F.K. 1.130 apply.

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5. If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 06-0540.

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